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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
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Appeal 2009-005660
Application 10/629,784
Technology Center 3600

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Before DALE M. SHAW, *Administrator*.

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

On June 17, 2008, Appellants filed a Notice of Appeal. On January 5, 2010, Appellants filed a communication requesting express abandonment of the application.

Accordingly, it is ORDERED that the appeal which was filed on June 17, 2008 be dismissed.

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The application is being returned to the Examiner for further action as may be appropriate.

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